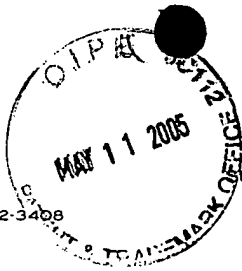


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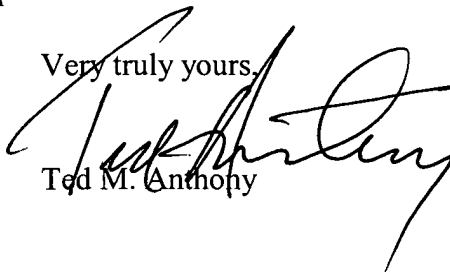
Dear Sir:

Enclosed is the Petition to Accept Unintentionally Delayed Payment Of Maintenance Fee In An Expired Patent in the above matter, along with a check in the amount of \$2,090.00 for maintenance and surcharge fees.

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